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SUBJECT: RWANDA: 20 JULY SECURITY COUNCIL MEETING

1. CONFIDENTIAL - ENTIRE TEXT

2. U/SYG GHAREKAN INFORMED THE COUNCIL JULY 20 THAT THE CEASEFIRE IN RWANDA CONTINUES TO HOLD, ALTHOUGH UNAMIR REPORTS SPORADIC OUTBREAKS OF VIOLENCE IN GISENYI. RWANDA'S NEW GOVERNMENT HAS REQUESTED THAT UNAMIR DEPLOY IN OUTLAYING AREAS TO ASSURE RETURNING REFUGEES THAT NO HARM WILL COME TO THEM. UNAMIR RETURNED 1150 PEOPLE TO KIGALI YESTERDAY IN THREE CONVOYS. GHAREKHAN ADDED THAT THE DESTRUCTION AND LOOTING OF UNAMIR'S VEHICLES SEVERLY HAMPERS SUCH REPATRIATION EFFORTS.

3. THE COMMANDER OF FRENCH FORCES IN RWANDA ANNOUNCED FRANCE WAS CONSIDERING LEAVING BEHIND ITS EQUIPMENT AND SUPPLIES AT THE CONCLUSION OF THEIR MANDATE. GHAREKHAN ALSO REPORTED THAT AN ADVANCE CONTINGENT OF THE CANADIAN COMMUNICATIONS UNIT WILL ARRIVE IN KIGALI THE 21ST, AND THAT THE 50 U.S. APCs ARE EN ROUTE NOW TO KIGALI WHERE
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THE GHANAIA BATTALION AWAITS THEM.

4. NOTEWORTHY AMONG COUCL MEMBERS' STATEMENTS WERE CALLS TO REEXAMINE UNAMIR'S MANDATE AND CURRENT CONFIGURATION. NEW ZEALAND, SPAIN, OMAN AND DJIBOUTI URGED THE SECRETARIAT TO PROVIDE THE COUNCIL WITH A NEW CONCEPT OF OPERATIONS FOR UNAMIR WHICH WOULD ADDRESS ITS NEED TO PROVIDE ENHANCED SECURITY AS WELL AS HUMANITARIAN RELIEF.

5. ON THE POLITICAL SIDE, SEVERAL COUNCIL MEMBERS ALSO LAMENTED THE RPF'S DECISION TO EXCLUDE THE MRND FROM THE NEW GOVERNMENT. THE NIGERIAN PERMREP SAID THAT THE EXCLUSION OF THE MRND SENDS PRECISELY THE WRONG SIGNAL TO THOSE THE RPF IS ATTEMPTING TO REASSURE WILL BE SAFE IN RWANDA. HE, JOINED BY OMAN, URGED THE RPF TO REACH OUT TO MRND MEMBERS NOT ASSOCIATED WITH THE ATROCITIES AND THEREBY FORGE A TRULY BROAD BASED GOVERNMENT.

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